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WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION

[WFO 25, Amdt. 2]

PART 1433—COCOA BEANS

CONSERVATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF COCOA BEANS AND COCOA BEAN PRODUCTS

War Food Order No. 25, as amended (8 F.R. 2529, 9 F.R. 4321, 4319, 9584), is further amended as follows:

1. By adding, after § 1433.1 (b) (5), a new paragraph reading as follows:

(6) No processor of cocoa beans shall sell any product resulting from the processing of cocoa beans to any manufacturer of confectionery or other food products for use in filling orders to quota-exempt agencies, as defined in (b) (4) hereof, unless and until the buyer or his authorized agent has certified to the processor in writing that (i) he will not

offer to resell, or resell, any product resulting from the processing of cocoa beans obtained by him at any time from any processor, except in the form of confectionery or other food products ready for retail distribution, and (ii) his inventory of the particular product resulting from the processing of cocoa beans does not exceed the amount of such product needed for all his manufacturing purposes during the next ensuing 60 days. The failure of any such buyer to comply with any of the conditions set forth in the certificate, or the making by him of any false statement in the certificate, shall be a violation of this order.

2. By renumbering (6), (7), (8), and (9) of § 1433.1 (b), following (6) set forth in the amendment above, so as to read, respectively, (7), (8), (9), and (10).

This amendment shall become effective at 12:01 a. m., e. w. t., November 16, 1944. With respect to violations, rights accrued, liabilities incurred, or appeals taken under said War Food Order No. 25, as amended, prior to the effective time of the provisions hereof, the provisions of the said War Food Order No. 25, as amended, in effect prior to the effective time hereof shall be deemed to continue in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any proper suit, action, or other proceeding with respect to any such violation, right, liability, or appeal. (E.O. 9280, 7 F.R. 10179; E.O. 9322, 8 F.R. 3807; E.O. 9334, 8 F.R. 5423; E.O. 9392, 8 F.R. 14783)

Issued this 16th day of November 1944.

ASHLEY SELLERS,

Assistant War Food Administrator.

War Food Administration,
Summary to WFO-25 Amendment 2.

The War Food Administration today issued an amendment to War Food Order No. 25 which, after its effective date (November 16, 1944) will operate to prevent any confectioner or manufacturer of other food products from purchasing from any processor of cocoa beans any cocoa bean product for use in filling quota-exempt orders from the Armed Forces

or the other Government agencies designated in the order unless or until the buyer, or his authorized agent, has furnished the processor with a written certificate that he (the buyer) (1) will not thereafter offer to resell, or resell, any cocoa bean product obtained by him at any time from any processor, except in the form of confectionery or other food products ready for retail distribution, and (2) his inventory of that particular cocoa

bean product does not exceed his need for it for manufacturing purposes during the next 60 days. Any violation of those conditions, or the making of any false statement in the certificate, will be a violation of the order.

The amendment is issued as a result of the recent War Food Order No. 115 which requires certain confectioners to set aside 50 percent of their production for the armed forces.

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[WFO 25, Amdt. 4]

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BEANS AND COCOA BEAN PRODUCTS

War Food Order No. 25, as amended (8 F.R. 2529; 9 F.R. 4321, 4319, 9584, 13741; 10 F.R. 103, 126, 10419), is further amended by deleting the provisions of §§ 1433.1 (b) (6) and (9), and by renumbering §§ 1433.1 (b) (7), (8), and

(10) so as to read, respectively, §§ 1433.1 (b) (6), (7), and (8).

The provisions of this amendment shall become effective at 12:01 a. m., e. s. t., October 1, 1945. With respect to violations, rights accrued, liabilities incurred, or appeals taken under said War Food Order No. 25, as amended, prior to the effective time of the provisions hereof, the provisions of the said War Food Order No. 25, as amended, in effect prior to the effective time of the provisions

hereof shall be deemed to continue in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any proper suit, action, or other proceeding with respect to any such violation, right, liability, or appeal. (E.O. 9280, 7 F.R. 10179; E.O. 9322, 8 F.R. 3807; E.O. 9334, 8 F.R. 5423; E.O. 9392, 8 F.R. 14783; E.O. 9577, 10 F.R. 8087)

Issued this 9th day of October 1945.

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CLINTON P. ANDERSON,
Secretary of Agriculture.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Summary to WFO-25, Amendment 4.

USDA INCREASES COCOA BEAN PROCESSING
QUOTAS

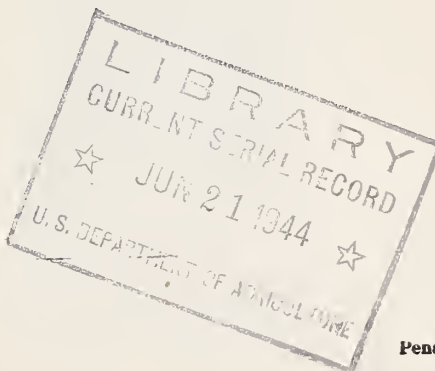
Quotas for processors of cocoa beans have been raised from 70 percent to 85 percent of grindings during the corresponding quarter of 1941 by U. S. Department of Agriculture. This action was

taken in amendment No. 4 to War Food Order 25-1, effective October 1, 1945.

Increase in processing of cocoa beans for civilian use was made possible by cut-backs in military requirements of chocolate products since the end of the war, officials stated. However, stocks of cocoa beans in this country and prospective imports do not yet justify complete removal of grinding limitations.

An amendment to WFO 25, issued at the same time, removes the restrictions on distribution of chocolate products for use in the manufacture of confectionery items to fill quota exempt orders. This amendment also removes the restrictions upon the manufacture of chocolate novelty items which was in effect throughout the war so as to provide for the most efficient use of raw materials and processing facilities for war needs.

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[WFO 25-1, Amdt. 3]

PART 1433—COCOA BEANS

QUOTAS AND RECORDS PRESCRIBED FOR COCOA BEANS

War Food Order No. 25-1, as amended, 9 F.R. 4321, 4319, (formerly designated as Director Food Distribution Order No. 25-1, as issued by the Director of Food Distribution on February 27, 1943, 8 F.R. 2530, and as amended, 8 F.R. 13699), is further amended to read as follows:

§ 1433.2 *Quotas and records in connection with cocoa beans.* (a) The quota of cocoa beans for processing by any person shall be, for the three-month period commencing July 1, 1944, and for each subsequent three-month period until otherwise ordered, 70 percent of the

total amount of cocoa beans processed by such person during the corresponding three-month period of 1941.

(b) Every person who processes cocoa beans shall keep and maintain, for a period of not less than two years, records which, upon examination, will disclose his total monthly inventory of cocoa beans, the amount of cocoa beans processed by him each month, and his monthly use of the products resulting from such processing.

(c) With respect to violations of War Food Order No. 25-1, as amended, rights accrued, or liabilities incurred prior to the effective date of this amendment, said War Food Order No. 25-1, as heretofore amended, shall be deemed to be in full force and effect for the purpose of sus-

taining any proper suit, action, or other proceeding with respect to any such violation, right, or liability.

(d) This amendment shall take effect at 12:01 a. m., e. w. t., July 1, 1944.

NOTE: All record-keeping requirements of this order have been approved by, and subsequent reporting and record-keeping requirements will be subject to the approval of, Bureau of the Budget in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942.

(E.O. 9280, 7 F.R. 10179; E.O. 9322, 8 F.R. 3907; E.O. 9334, 8 F.R. 5423; E.O. 9392, 8 F.R. 14783; WFO 25, 8 F.R. 2529, 9 F.R. 4321, 4519)

Issued this 15th day of June 1944.

C. W. KITCHEN,
Acting Director of Distribution.

War Food Administration,
Summary to WFO 25-1 Amendment 3.

The supply of cocoa and chocolate products for U. S. civilians will be somewhat less during the third quarter of the 1944 calendar year than was available for the first two quarters as a re-

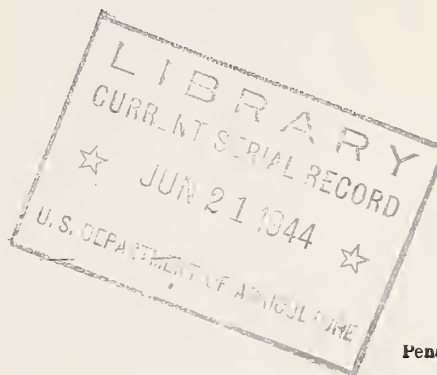
sult of greater military requirements and lack of shipping space from certain areas, the War Food Administration announced today.

Grinding quotas for cocoa beans have been reduced from 80 percent of the quantity ground for the corresponding period in the base year of 1941, during

the first two quarters of this year, to 70 percent for the third quarter. The reduction is effective July 1. A further reduction for the fourth quarter of this year is expected, WFA officials said.

This action is contained in an amendment to War Food Order 25, which regulates the grinding of cocoa beans,

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